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SUBJ: DEATH OF JANUSZ WILHELMI, DIRECTOR OF THE POLISH MINISTRY
OF CULTURE

REF: SOFIA 0488

1. ACCORDING TO A PAP REPORT PUBLISHED IN ALL POLISH DAILY
NEWSPAPER ON MARCH 17, JANUSZ WILHELMI, VICE-MINISTER
AND DIRECTOR OF THE POLISH MINISTRY OF CULTURE AND ART,
WAS ONE OF THE 73 FATALITIES IN THE CRASH OF A BULGARIAN
AIRLINES PLANE BOUND FROM SOFIA TO WARSAW ON MARCH 16.

2. COMMENT: WILHELMI HAD BEEN WIDELY RUMORED AS THE
FAVORITE OF CONSERVATIVE FORCES WITHIN THE PARTY TO
TAKE OVER AS CULTURE MINISTER, A POSSIBILITY THAT EVOKED
WIDESPREAD OPPOSITION IN ARTISTIC AND SOME MEDIA QUARTERS.
HIS DEATH WILL LIKELY FURTHER COMPLICATE THE ALREADY UN-
SETTLED LEADERSHIP SITUATION IN THE MINISTRY. END COMMENT.

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